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NOTIFICATION

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S.R.O. 1982.—In exercise of the powers conferred by section 169 of the Representation of the People Act, 1951 (XLIII of 1951), the Central Government after consulting the Election Commission, hereby directs that the following further amendments shall be made in the Representation of the People (Conduct of Elections and Election Petitions) Rules, 1951 with effect from the 15th September, 1955;

Provided that the said amendments shall not apply in relation to any election the result of which has been declared by the Returning Officer before the aforesaid date.

Amendments

In the Representation of the People (Conduct of Elections and Election Petitions) Rules, 1951—

- (1) in rule 113 the words "and shall, as soon as may be, cause such notice to be published in the Official Gazette;" shall be omitted;
- (2) for rule 119, the following rule shall be substituted, namely: --

"119. Time within which an election petition shall be presented.—An election petition calling in question an election shall be presented within two months from but not earlier than, the date of publication of the name or names of the returned candidate or candidates at such election under section 67."

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